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REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING	01/01/06	AND ENDING	2/31/06
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A. RE	GISTRANT IDENTIFIC	CATION	•
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: STONE SE	ECURITIES CORPORATION	,	OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BU	SINESS: (Do not use P.O. B	ox No.)	FIRM I.D. NO.
BOSTON STOCK EXCHANGE, 100 FRANKLIN	STREET	•	4
	(No. and Street)		
BOSTON	ма	02110	
(City)	(State)		(Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF P PERRY STONE	ERSON TO CONTACT IN F		EPORT 235-2445
			(Area Code – Telephone Number
B. ACC	COUNTANT IDENTIFIC	CATION	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT BRACE & SUSSMAN, PLLC	-		
	(Name - if individual, state last, fi	irst, middle name)	
12 PARMENTER ROAD	LONDONDERRY	NH	03053
(Address)	(City)	(State)	OCESSED (Zip Code)
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#### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

of DECEMBER 31	, 20_06	are true and correct. I further swear	(or affirm) tha
neither the company nor any partner, prop	prietor, principal officer	or director has any proprietary interest i	n any account
classified solely as that of a customer, exc	cept as follows:		р п
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(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilitie	es Subordinated to Clair	ns of Creditors.	# -
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(1) An Oath or Affirmation.			a
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# STONE SECURITIES CORPORATION FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006

# BRACE & SUSSMAN, PLLC

Certified Public Accountants

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#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Board of Directors of Stone Securities Corporation Boston, Massachusetts

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Stone Securities Corporation, (the Company) as of December 31, 2006 and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Stone Securities Corporation as of December 31, 2006, and the results of its operations and their cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in Schedules I and II is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Brace & Sussman, PLLC

Certified Public Accountants

Londonderry, New Hampshire

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February 23, 2007

#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

## **DECEMBER 31, 2006**

#### **ASSETS**

Cash	•	\$ 110,20	<b>)5</b> ,
Cash and securities segregated under federal and other reg	gulations	5,96	50
Receivable from broker-dealers		96,67	75
Securities owned:			
Marketable, at market value		311,79	99 <sub>1</sub>
Memberships in exchanges:		. * *	
Owned at adjusted cost (market value \$10,000)		10,00	ЭО
Equipment, at cost, less accumulated depreciation of \$37,	537	1,43	36
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Total Assets		\$ 536,07	75
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLD	ERS' EQUITY		
LIABILITIES:			ر د
Accounts payable, accrued expenses, and other liabilities		\$ 126,06	<u> </u>
Total liabilities		126,06	รด์
1 Otal Habilities		120,00	<u> </u>
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY:			
Common stock, no par value, 1000 shares authorized,			'
issued and outstanding	•		-
Additional paid in capital		238,81	
Retained earnings	•	171,19	<u>3</u>
	•		
Total shareholders' equity		410,00	<u>)6</u>
			,
Total liabilites and shareholders' equity		\$ 536,07	15
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#### STATEMENT OF INCOME

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

Revenues:	•	• .	
Commissions	· ·	• • •	\$ 1,174,578
Net investment	gains (losses)	•	10,680
· Other income		•	10,372
Interest and div	idends		7,814
		•	4
Total revenue			\$ 1,203,444
• .		•	•
Expenses:			9
Employee com	pensation and benefits		\$ 451,954
Commissions,	floor brokerage, and exchange	fees	160,071
Communication	ns, occupancy, and equipment	rental	8,033
Other operating	gexpenses		575,570
			•
Total expenses			<u>\$ 1,195,628</u>
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Net income before	taxes	•	\$ 7,816
		• •	
State excise tax			581
			•
Net income			\$ 7,235

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	nmon ock	Additional Paid in Capital	Retained Earnings	Total
		• .	• · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Balance at January 1, 2006	\$ •	\$ 93,813	\$ 163,958	\$ 257,771
Additional paid in capital	٠,	145,000		145,000
Net income	 <del></del>	· <u>·                                    </u>	<u>7,235</u> .	7,235
Balance at December 31, 2006	\$ · <u>-</u>	\$ 238,813	\$ 171,193	\$ 410,006

#### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2005

Cash flows from operating activities:	3	•
Net income	. •	\$ 7,235
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash	provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation		1,241
Increase in cash and securities segregated un	der regulations	(5,960)
Decrease in due from broker-dealers		7,945
Increase in marketable securities		(162,137
Exercise of warrants		3,300
Decrease in other receivable		5,662
Increase in accounts payable, accrued expen	ses, and other liabilities	98,927
Total adjustments		(51,022)
Net cash used by operating activities		(43,787)
Cash flows from investing activities:		,
Cash flows from investing activities.		•
None		-
Cash flows from financing activities		" 1
Capital contributions		145,000
	•	
Net decrease in cash		101,213
Cash at beginning of the year		8,992
easil at beginning of the year		0,332
Cash at end of the year		\$110,205
		<del></del>
Supplemental cash flow disclosures:		
Interest payments		\$ -
Income tax payments		\$ 581
man payment		<del>* 301</del>

## Disclosure of accounting policy:

For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers all highly liquid debt instruments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents. Money market accounts are not considered to be cash equivalents

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**DECEMBER 31, 2006** 

#### NOTE 1- SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Organization

The Company was organized as a Massachusetts corporation on October 31, 1991, for the purpose of doing business as a broker-dealer in securities, and provider of financial services.

#### Revenue and Expenses

Commission revenue and related expenses are recognized on the accrual basis using the settlement date.

#### Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are recorded at cost. The cost of maintenance and repairs are charged to expense as incurred. Major improvements to property and equipment are capitalized. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. Depreciation expense for 2006 was \$1,241.

#### Marketable Securities

Marketable securities are valued at market, cost is determined on the specific identification method; realized and unrealized gains and losses are reflected in revenue. Securities transactions of the Company are recorded on a trade date basis. At December 31, 2006 there was an unrealized gain of \$12,574.

#### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### **Exchange Memberships**

Exchange memberships are recorded at cost or, if an other than temporary impairment in value has incurred, at a value that reflects management's estimate of the impairment.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2006**

#### **Allowance for Bad Debts**

The Company considers accounts receivable to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is required.

#### Compensated Absences

Employees of the Company are entitled to paid vacation, paid sick days, and personal days off, depending on job classification, length of service, and other factors. It is impractical to estimate the amount of compensation for future absences, and accordingly, no liability has been recorded in the accompanying financial statements. The Company's policy is to recognize the costs of compensated absences when actually paid to employees.

#### NOTE 2- INCOME TAXES

The company is an S corporation for federal and state income tax purposes. Accordingly, income and losses flow directly to the shareholders, and taxes are paid at that level. The state of Massachusetts imposes an excise tax on S corporations, which is reflected in the income statement.

#### NOTE 3- NET CAPITAL

As a broker dealer, the Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's regulations and operating guidelines, which require the Company to maintain a specified amount of net capital, as defined, and a ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, as derived, not exceeding 15 to 1. The Company's net capital, as computed under 15c3-1, was \$377,383 at December 31, 2006, which exceeded required net capital of \$250,000 by \$127,383. The Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital at December 31, 2006, was 33.41%.

# NOTE 4- CASH AND SECURITIES SEGREGATED UNDER FEDERAL AND OTHER REGULATIONS

Cash of \$5,960 has been segregated in a special reserve bank account for the benefit of customers under Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

#### NOTE 5- CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Company is engaged in various trading and brokerage activities with counterparties. In the event counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the credit worthiness of the counterparty or issuer of the instrument. It is the Company's policy to review, as necessary, the credit standing of each counterparty with which it conducts business.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

**DECEMBER 31, 2006** 

#### NOTE 6- PROFIT SHARING PLAN

The Corporation has a qualified profit sharing plan that covers substantially all full-time employees meeting certain eligibility requirements. The annual contribution is determined by the Management and is limited to amounts allowed under provisions of the Internal Revenue Code. The contributions to the plan were \$43,851 for the year ended December 31, 2006.

# STONE SECURITIES CORPORATION SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES DECEMBER 31, 2006

## SCHEDULE I

# STONE SECURITIES CORPORATION

# COMPUTATION OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS AND NET CAPITAL PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-1

## **DECEMBER 31, 2006**

AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS:	•	
Accounts payable, accrued expenses, and other	liabilities	\$ 126,069
TOTAL AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS		\$ 126,069
	•	
NET CAPITAL:	* * *	
Additional paid in capital		\$ 238,813
Retained earnings		171,193
		410,006
ADJUSTMENTS TO NET CAPITAL:		
Receivable from broker-dealers over thirty days	S	(9,578)
Furniture & equipment		(1,436)
Membership in exchange	•	(10,000)
Haircuts		(11,609)
Net capital, as defined		\$ 377,383
MINIMUM NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT		250,000
NET CAPITAL IN EXCESS OF REQUIREMENT		\$ 127,383
RATIO OF AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS TO NE	T CAPTIAL	33.41%

## RECONCILIATION OF NET CAPITAL PURSUANT TO RULE 15c3-1 (X-17A-5) AT DECEMBER 31, 2006

# SCHEDULE I (CONTINUED)

	FOCUS REPORT - PART IIA QUARTER ENDED 12/31/06		ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT 12/31/06
COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL			
Total ownership equity from statement of financial condition	\$ 416,45 <u>6</u>	\$ (6,450)	410,006
Deductions and/or charges:  Total nonallowable assets from statement of financial condition Haircuts on securities	22,255 12,163	(1,241) (554)	21,014 11,609
Total deductions  Net capital	34,418 \$ 382,038	(1,795) \$ (4,655) \$	32,623 377,383

# FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL COMBINED UNIFORM SINGLE REPORT

		PART II				
BR	OKER OR DEALER	Stone Securities Corporation		a	s of December 31, 200	16
ـــــ		COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF I FOR BROKER-DEALERS UNDE (See Rule 15c3-3, Exhibit A and	R RULE 15c3-3		ų	
CRE	DIT BALANCES	•	•			
1.	Free credit balances and	other credit balancesin customers' security				
	accounts (see Note A, E)	thibit A, Rule 15c3-3)	<sub>76</sub> \$	4340		
2.	Monies borrowed collate	ralized by securities carried for the accounts of	<u></u>	4350		
	•	customers' securities loaned (see Note C)		4000		
		led to receive (see Note D)		4370		
		counts which are attributable to principal sales to customers	***************************************	4380		
6.	Market value of stock div	idends, stock splits and similar distributions receivable outstanding	g	4390		
	•	security count differences over 30 calendar days old		4400	•	
		securities and credits (not to be offset by logs or by				
		counts over 30 calendar days		4410		
		s which are in transfer in excess of 40 calendar days, and have not	· ———	لتــــا		
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		4420		
10.	Other (List) Commis	er by the transfer agnet or the issuer during the 40 dayssion Recapture		5,210 4425		
					5,210 44	130
DEE	BIT BALANCES				•	
12.	**Debit balances in cust	omers' cash and margin accounts excluding unsecured accounts a	and			
	accounts doubtful of coll	ection net of deductions pursuant to Note E, Exhibit A, Rule 15c3-	3 \$	4440		
13.	Securities borrowed to e	ffectuate short sales by customers and securities borrowed to mak	e		•	
	delivery on customers' s	ecurities failed to deliver		4450		
		mers' securities not older than 30 calendar days		4460		
		leposit with Options Clearing Corporation for all option contracts				
	•	ustomer accounts (see Note F)		4465		
					44	7(
	•	e method only-see Rule 15c3-1(f)(5)(i)			() 44	
19.	**TOTAL 14c3-3 DEBITS	5	***************************************	\$	S O 44	72
RES	SERVE COMPUTATION				1	
		er total credits (line 19 less line 11)	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		44	80
		var total debite /line 11 lens line 10)		••	5 210 44	

#### 21. Excess of total credits over total debits (line 11 less line 19) ...... 22. If computation permitted on a monthly basis, enter 105% of excess of total credits over total debits ...... 23. Amount held on deposit in "Reserve Bank Account(s)," including value of qualified securities, at end of reporting period ......

24. Amount of deposit (or withdrawal) including 4515 value of qualified securities 25. New amount in Reserve Bank Account(s) after adding deposit or subtracting withdrawal including

4525 value of qualified securities .......\$ 4530 26. Date of deposit (MMDDYY)

#### FREQUENCY OF COMPUTATION

4332 Weekly 4333 Monthly XXXX 27. Daily 50

<sup>\*\*</sup> In the event the Net Capital Requirement is computed under the alternative method, this "Reserve Formula" shall be prepared in accordance with the requirements of paragraph (f) of Rule 15c3-1.

# FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL COMBINED UNIFORM SINGLE REPORT PART II

BBOK	ER OR DEALER Stone Securities Corporation	as of	December 31, 2006
	ER OR DEALER Stone Securities Corporation	<b>U</b> 3 01	н
	COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIRTEMENTS FOR BROKER-DEALERS UNDER RULE 15c3-3 (continued)		•
EXEMF	PTIVE PROVISIONS		V .
28. If a	n exemption from Rule 15c3-3 is claimed, identify below the section upon which such exemption is based (check only one)		1 i
A.	(k)(1) — \$2,500 capital category as per Rule 15c3-1	s2 \$	4550
	(k)(2)(A) — "Special Account for the Exclusive Benefit of customers" maintained		4560
C.	(k)(2)(B) — All customer transactions cleared through another broker-dealer on a fully disclosed basis.		· ·
	Name of clearing firm 51 4335	]	4570
D.	(k)(3) — Exempted by order of the Commission		. 4580
	Information for Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3		†
State th	ne market valuation and number of otems of:		
1.	Customers' fully paid securities and excess margin securities not in the respondent's possesion or control as of the report date		‡'  1
	(for which instructions to reduce to possession or control had been issued as of the report date) but for which the required		i.
	action was not taken by respondent within the time frame specified under Rul 15c3-3. Notes A and B	\$	4586
	A. Number of items		4587
2.	Customers' fully paid securities and excess margin securities for which instructions to reduce possession or control had not		
	been issued as of the report date, excluding items arising from "temporary lags which result from normal business operations"		
	as permitted under Rule 15c3-3. Notes B, C and D	\$	4588
	A. Number of items	53	4589
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- A—Do not include in item one customers' fully paid and excess margin securities required by Rule 15c3-3 to be in possession or control but for which no action was required by the respondent as of the report date or required action was taken by respondent with the time frames specified under Rule 15c3-3.
- B--- State separately in response to items one and two whether the securities reported in response thereto were subsequently reduced to possession or control by the respondent.
- C-Be sure to include in item two only items not arising from "temporary lags which result from normal business operations" as permitted under Rule 15c3-3.

D—Item two must be responded to only with report which is filed as of the date selected for the broker's or dealer's annual audit of financial statements, whether or not such date is the end of a calendar quarter. The response to item two should be filed within 60 calendar days after such date, rather than with the remainder of this report. This information may be required on a more frequest basis by the Commission or the designated examining authority in accordance with Rule 17a-5(a)(2)(iv).

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# Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Structure Required by SEC Rule 17a-5

Board of Directors Stone Securities Corporation

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of Stone Securities Corporation (the Company), for the year ended December 31, 2006, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of compliance with such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in the following:

- 1. Making the periodic computation of aggregate indebtedness (or aggregate debits) and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the reserve required by rule 15c3-3(e)
- 2. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons and the recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 3. Complying with the requirements of prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System
- 4. Obtaining and maintaining physical possession or control of all fully paid and excess margin securities of customers as required by rule 15c3-3

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles general accepted in the United States of America. Rule

17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which design or operation of the specific internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving the internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2006, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the Securities and Exchange Commission, The National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. and other regulatory agencies that rely on rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Londonderry, New Hampshire

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February 23, 2007

